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And a weak place grew in the fabric stout. And the perfect pattern was marred for aye. By the one small stitch that had dropped that day.

One small life in God's great plan. How futile it seems as the ages roll. To what it may or strive how it can. To alter the sweep of the infinite wheel. A single stitch in an endless web. A drop in the cooling floor and the pattern is rent where the stitch is lost. Or marred where the tangled threads have crossed. And each life that falls of its true intent. Marks the perfect plan that its Master meant.

—Susan Coolidge.

GENTLEMAN CONVICTS

—By M. QUAD.

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It was a queer chapter of accidents that overtook the bark Nonesuch on the South American coast in the year 1870. We were bound from Philadelphia to Pernambuco, being a well found craft and a willing crew, and we lost a man overboard before we had been out 24 hours. Off the Bahamas the second mate and two men pulled away in the dingy to inspect some wreckage which seemed to prove the loss of a steamer, and as they were returning a small whale rose under the boat and smashed her to match wood, and then two sailors were drowned. This left us three men short, and we put in at the Windward Islands to replace them. After much trouble we got two men, but as we were leaving port the captain was bitten on the cheek and the first mate on the hand by a flying insect somewhat resembling the so called "darning



THE CAPTAIN'S WIFE AT THE WHEEL.

needle" to be found in the United States. Within an hour they were suffering as much as if they had been stung by an asp.

The captain's wife was aboard, and of course she did all in her power, but it was three or four days before the men could move about again, and then only the mate could return to duty. The captain had what seemed to be a cornicle appear under his right eye, and for ten days he suffered so acutely that at times he was out of his senses. We should have run into Demerara had he not begun to improve, but it would have been better had we done so anyhow. The two fellows we picked up at the Windward Islands proved to be worthless sailors and bad men, and they worked the bark an evil turn. One night as we lay becalmed, with the captain and mate still suffering from the poisonous bites, they overpowered and bound the second mate, provisioned and lowered a boat and induced four of the original crew to embark with them. We afterward came to know that they had been talking a great deal about a treasure buried on the Dutch Guiana coast, from which we were distant about 75 miles. We were left with only three able hands aboard, and the captain's wife had to take her trick at the wheel while we headed for Cayenne to get relief. We had crawled along to within 30 miles off the French penal port when the wind headed us, and we could do no better than drift off to the eastward and wait for a change.

After about 30 hours of drifting the wind changed in our favor, and one morning at sunrise we were making shift to get on our course again when we espied a raft with 12 men on it close at hand. With the naked eye one could make out that they were clothed in convict garb, and of course the deduction was that they had escaped from the coast. There were two rude sails on the raft, and the clumsy structure had had a fair breeze behind her for a day and a half. As the raft was not easily managed, we could have evaded it by putting up our helm. We were for doing this at once, all but the captain's wife. She knew they were convicts and desperate men and that once aboard of us we should be at their mercy, but she nevertheless insisted that we should pick them up. They were 50 miles off the coast, with the signs of a storm coming on, and she declared that it would be a cruel act to leave them to perish. I was of a mind to lock her up in her stateroom and dodge the raft, but the other two men were against me, and ten minutes later the float was alongside and the convicts were climbing aboard. I expected nothing less than an immediate attack from them, for 12 tougher looking men I never set eyes on; but, to my surprise, they halted at the rail while their leader advanced, doffed his cap, with a scrape of his foot, and in passable English inquired for the captain. He was told of the captain's illness and of our being short handed, and he bowed and scraped again and said to the woman:

"Madam, have no fears. You prob-

ably know that we are escaped convicts from Cayenne, but no man will offer harm to any one aboard. We may be robbers and murderers, but we are also gentlemen in a way. There is bad weather coming on. We have arrived at an opportune moment. Most of us are sailors, and all of us are at your orders."

When I looked into their vicious faces, I could not help but suspect that they had a game to play and were only delaying it, but it was policy to take them at their word. As soon as the captain and mate heard of the arrival of the gang they became almost panic stricken and advised this and that, and the wife was the only one who had the least confidence in the promises made. It was well that she had and that her advice to trust them was followed by all of us. We could not have kept them from coming aboard with our feeble crew, and to have shown our distrust afterward would have angered them. They took hold with us at once after being given food, and before night we had cause to rejoice that they were with us. We got dirty weather, which lasted three days, and but for their aid the Nonesuch would have become a helpless wreck or gone to the bottom. We had to run off to the east during this spell, and it was only when the weather cleared that the leader of the convicts had a conference with the captain and his wife and asked that his gang be set ashore in Brazilian territory. This was promised him, and I must say that I never worked with more cheerful and willing crew aboard of any craft. Seven of the 12 had been convicted of murder, and all were desperate men, but they were as obedient as children and as good natured as you please. They were careful of their language, respectful in their demeanor, and not once did I hear one of them grumble or complain. We ran into the Amazon and up that river for 40 miles to set them ashore. In his gratitude to them the captain gave them sailcloth for two tents, a musket, a lot of clothes from the slop chest and all the provisions we could spare. With cooking utensils, fishhooks and a few carpenter's tools they were fairly well rigged out for a life on the banks of the stream for half a year to come, and at parting there were as much handshakings and as many farewells as if a band of old friends was breaking up. Their escape from the colony was a desperate one and the authorities made an exhaustive search; but, so far as I have been able to learn, not one of the dozen has ever been retaken.

Not Above His Business.

Young Broadhead, scion of a wealthy family, cherished journalistic ambitions and, like a sensible youth, had resolved to begin at the beginning.

He had applied for and obtained a position as a reporter on a daily paper at a moderate salary, where he was treated precisely like any other reporter, shirking no assignment that came in his way and putting on no airs on account of his wealth or social standing.

He had not thought it worth while, however, to acquaint the family servants with the nature of his daily occupations, and when a fellow reporter came to the house one day with a message from the city editor the flunky in attendance at the front door took him around the house and brought him up to the young man's room by a back stairway.

"Why didn't you show Mr. Craig up by way of the front hall?" demanded young Broadhead.

"He's only a reporter," whispered the butler.

Imagine the dignified flunky's horror when his master responded in an audible voice:

"I'm only a reporter myself, you donkey!"—Youth's Companion.

Webster and the Trout.

With each increase of Webster's fame as a lawyer and an orator, writes Professor McMaster in The Century, friends and admirers grew more and more urgent that he should once more return to public life. He did indeed consent to serve as a presidential elector and for ten days sat in the Massachusetts legislature. Many years afterward in the course of a speech Webster referred to this service and told his hearers a story quite characteristic of the man. "It so happens," said he, "that all the public services which I have rendered in this world in my day and generation have been connected with the general government. I think I ought to make one exception. I was ten days a member of the Massachusetts legislature, and I turned my thoughts to the search for some good object in which I could be useful in that position, and after much reflection I introduced a bill which, with the general consent of both houses of the Massachusetts legislature, passed into a law and is now a law of the state which enacts that no man in the state shall catch trout in any other manner than in the old way, with an ordinary hook and line."

Pickled Railroad Ties.

Pickled railroad ties are now being used to a great extent all over the country. A number of railroads, including the Burlington, the Santa Fe and the Southern Pacific, have plants of their own in which the ties are pickled. How to preserve the ties and add to their life and durability has been a serious problem for railroad owners ever since the early days of transportation by rail. The constant wear and tear of ties has necessitated their replacement as soon as they were perceptibly worn. A solution of chloride of zinc is applied by a specially arranged process. The ties are put in large airtight cylinders, the air is pumped out and the ties are heated by steam. The chemicals are then pumped in and the ties kept in the solution under high pressure until they are saturated.—Philadelphia Record.

Mrs. Gilbert and Augustin Daly.

The pleasantest recollections of my stage life are those connected with the governor," said Mrs. John Gilbert. "We never called him Mr. Daly—that is, we older ones, who knew him well. "He never bothered much with Jim Lewis and myself. He had more trouble with John Drew and Ada Rehan. They were young and needed looking after, you know."

"He was very set in his ways, and if he took a fancy to a piece of stage furniture he invariably introduced it into every play. He had a pair of large, dark blue majolica vases which were the bane of my life. They were always placed near a doorway in such a manner that you had to have the dreadful things always on your mind or you would run into them."

"I had complained several times to the governor and begged him to put them in the storeroom, but he had taken a fancy to them, and they remained. "Well, one day I did knock one of them down, and it was smashed to bits. The governor never said a word, but he looked voluble. He was arranging the interior for a new play a few days later, and in one scene I had to faint on a lounge."

"Tom," he said to the stage hand, "see that that lounge is good and strong, for Mrs. Gilbert is very gawky, and it would ruin the scene if she smashed it when she fainted."

"That was all, but I knew that he knew how that vase was broken."—New York Herald.

Confiscation in Morocco.

It is a custom in Morocco that all the property of an official reverts at death to the crown. The logic which leads to such a result is simple, for the government argues that all fortunes thus accumulated consist of moneys illegally retained by the authorities. A governor when appointed is probably possessed of no considerable fortune. When he dies, he may be a millionaire. Whence came his wealth? Squeezed most certainly from the tribes under his authority and therefore amassed only by the prerogatives of the position in which the sultan had placed him. It has never struck the Moorish government that these great fortunes might more honorably be returned to the people from whom they were stolen. The result is entire confiscation to the crown, including often such private property as his governor may have been possessed of before his appointment and not seldom, too, of the property of his relatives.

When the mighty fall in Morocco, the crash brings down with them their families, even uncles and cousins and all connected with them, and it is not seldom that the sons of great governors, who have been brought up in the luxury of slaves and horses and retinues of mounted men, have to go begging in the streets.—Blackwood.

Poor Opera Glasses.

"Cheap opera glasses are an abomination," said an eye specialist recently. "There is no doubt about this. I have made a special study of the matter. Lots of eyes are nearly ruined by them. I find this particularly true of young girls who go a great deal to the theater and who seem to think they must have opera glasses. To their way of thinking an opera glass is an opera glass, and that's all there is to it. So they buy cheap ones and then wonder why they have such headaches."

"Unless the very best lenses are used I should advise everybody to taboo opera glasses. The farther from the stage one is the better and more perfect the glasses should be. Exactly the reverse of this is actually the case, for the people who sit in the rear seats or in the balcony are usually the ones who have the poorest glasses. A performance viewed with the naked eye is much more satisfactory, to my way of thinking. An opera glass gives but a limited view, and only the one object on which it is focused is visible. I don't see why people use even the best of them."—Philadelphia Record.

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"About ten years ago I began to have trouble with my stomach," writes Mr. Wm. Connelley of St. Louis, Mo. "I got so bad that I had to lay off quite often two and three days in a week. My stomach would bloat, and I would belch up gas, and was in awful distress at such times. I have been treated by the best doctors in this city but they were of no avail. Some said I had cancer of the stomach, others dyspepsia. I have bought and tried everything I saw advertised for dyspepsia and stomach trouble, but continued to get worse all the time. About twelve months ago I was in such a condition that my friends had some fear about my recovery. It was then I wrote to you for advice. You told me that by my symptoms you thought I had liver complaint and advised the use of your 'Golden Medical Discovery' and 'Pleasant Pellets' in connection. These medicines I have taken as directed, and am very happy to state that I am enabled to get better from the start and have not lost a day this summer on account of my stomach. I feel tip-top, and better than I have for ten years."

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SONOMA, APRIL 20, 1901.

CHARLES A. BLANK of San Francisco is a brave man and is deserving of something more than mere newspaper mention. Throwing off his coat and vest he jumped off a ferry boat into the bay, the other day, and at the peril of his life rescued a drowning woman. That the act required nerve and bravery on the part of the rescuer no better evidence is wanting than the fact that he was the only man out of several hundred persons on the boat that dared attempt the rescue. The captain leads his company into battle for glory and promotion while the hero of the above episode, without thought of praise or reward, of any kind and with the instinct of true bravery, performs an act of heroism that proclaims him to be a man head and shoulders above his fellows in all that goes to make up a man.

D. E. MCKINLAY, formerly of Santa Rosa, and who stumped the State for McKinley and Roosevelt during the last campaign, has been appointed Second Assistant United States Attorney, vice E. J. Banning, promoted to First Assistant. The office secured by Mr. McKinlay was held by Frank L. Coombs of Napa for a number of years. When Coombs resigned to represent the First District in Congress, Mr. McKinlay and Mr. Banning were aspirants for the vacant position. Banning won out owing to his "pull" being greater than that of McKinlay, although the latter had the endorsement of both Senators Perkins and Bard. The promotion of Banning, however, has given Mr. McKinlay the coveted position, which could not have been more worthily bestowed from a party standpoint.

THOS. OWENS, who assassinated Ed. Hale at Lytton Springs two years ago, must hang. Owens was tried and convicted and sentenced to be hanged by Judge Dougherty. An appeal for a new trial was taken to the Supreme Court and had been pending for a long time. On Tuesday that tribunal affirmed the judgment of the Superior Court of this county, practically sealing the death warrant of Owens, who will expire his crime on the gallows at San Quentin prison. The condemned man's defense was insanity.

Is a drive with a man from Kansas Friday, the name of General Funston was mentioned. "I know the man and something of his history," said the Kansan. "He is a man of grit and go. When he entered college he was moneyless and after his name on the register he wrote the request, 'Hunt Funston a job.' Work was found and he did enough of it to pay for his schooling."

An exchange says that the printing press has made presidents, killed poets and furnished bustles for beauties. It has curtailed the power of kings, converted bankers into paupers and graced pantry shelves. It has made paupers out of college presidents; it has educated the homeless and robbed the philosopher of his reason; it smiles and cries and dies, but it can't be run to suit everybody and the man will go crazy who tries.

AN unconfirmed report has reached London from Cape Colony to the effect that General French, with 500 British troops, has been captured by the Boers. The English War Office discredits the report.

THE threatened scrap between Russia and Japan on account of the Manchurian question is now off. It is truly a case of "one's afraid and the other 'dassant'."

APOSTLE GEORGE Q. CANNON of the Mormon Church died at Monterey on Friday of last week at the age of 75 years.

THE Grand Parlor of the Native Sons will hold its twenty-fourth annual meeting in Santa Barbara next week.

THE Ohio when completed will be the largest cruiser in the American Navy. Her length is 388 feet.

Sonoma Valley Board of Trade.

The regular meeting of the Sonoma Valley Board of Trade will be held next Wednesday evening at Weyl's Hall. As matters of importance will come up for consideration every member should be present at the meeting. The Board now has a membership of nearly one hundred, representing the wealth, intelligence and public spirit of the Sonoma Valley. These have banded together to devise ways and means for increasing the wealth and population of our valley and all are determined to work with a will, to the end that the mission of the organization be eminently successful, as it surely will be if we all pull together.

OF INTEREST TO HUNTERS.

The New Game Law as Laid Down by the Last Legislature.

The recent Legislature made many changes in the game laws of this State. It is now illegal to kill or have in your possession between the first day of February and the first day of October either quail, grouse, sage hens, wild ducks, curlews, ibis or plover.

You cannot shoot doves between the first of February and the first of August.

Any person who, during any one calendar day, takes, kills, or destroys, or has in his possession more than twenty-five quail, partridge, snipe, curlew, or ibis, or more than fifty doves, or more than fifty ducks, or more than twenty rails, is guilty of a misdemeanor.

Every person who pursues, kills or has in his possession, any female deer or spotted fawn, or any antelope, elk, or mountain sheep is guilty of a misdemeanor.

Any person who, between the first day of October and the first day of August, kills or has in his possession any male deer or any deer meat, is guilty of a misdemeanor.

Every person who hunts, kills or has in his possession between the first day of February and the first day of August, any species of tree squirrel, is guilty of a misdemeanor.

Every person who takes, kills or has in his possession, more than three deer during any one open season is guilty of a misdemeanor.

Every person who, controlling, or having in their possession, any deer hounds, foxhounds, greyhounds or any other kind of dogs, permits them to run, track or trail any deer during the time it is unlawful to kill same is guilty of a misdemeanor.

Every person who buys, sells, offers or exposes for sale, barter or trade any quail, partridge, pheasant, grouse, sage hens, ibis, or plover or any deer meat, whether taken or killed in the State of California, or shipped into the State from any other state, territory or foreign country, is guilty of a misdemeanor at any time of the year.

You cannot shoot ducks after sundown or before sunrise, as the following shows:

A new section is hereby added to said code, to be numbered six hundred and twenty-six, to read as follows:

Every person who, at any time, between one-half hour after sundown and one-half hour before sunrise of the following day, hunts, pursues, takes, or destroys any of the birds mentioned in this chapter, is guilty of a misdemeanor.

Every person who takes, kills, or destroys by the use of any net, pound, cage or trap, set line or wire any quail, partridge, grouse, wild duck, curlew, or ibis, or who transports, buys, sells, or gives away, offers or exposes for sale, or has in his possession any of the said birds that have been taken, killed or captured by the use of any net, pound, cage, trap, set line or wire, is guilty of a misdemeanor.

Weekly Crop Bulletin.

United States Department of Agriculture, Climate and Crop Bulletin of the Weather Bureau, California Section, Coast and Bay Division, for the week ending Monday, April 15th, 1901.

The temperature has been normal during the week, and no severe frosts have occurred since the 9th. The continuance of dry winds and absence of rain are seriously affecting crops in some sections. Early wheat is in good condition, but the late sown and pastured need rain very soon. Barley is heading out. The hay crop will be heavy. Deciduous fruits are considerably injured by frosts during the preceding week, although some sections report that the loss will be very light. Apricots, peaches and almonds appear to have been most seriously affected, but in places prunes, grapes and walnuts were greatly damaged. The orchards on high lands suffered less than those on lower lands.

Superior Court Notes

On Monday the usual calendar day proceedings were had in the Superior Court. The resume of the day's business follows:

The final accounts of the estates of Henry C. Turner and James McNamara were settled and distribution of the property was ordered.

Clara Ann Hutchins was appointed executor of the will of the late Mrs. Rebecca Shepherd without bonds.

William Appleton and Henry Hubbard were named executors of the will of the late Warren Green of Preston. No bonds were required.

An order to sell personal property was made in the estate of George Wood.

Probate matters continued: Estate of James Frazier, John Itin, Louis Tomasini and Hugh Porter to April 21st; estate of Samuel T. Szarvash to April 22d.

Plaintiff having failed to amend the complaint in the time allowed by the court, judgment was entered for the defendant for costs in the action of E. P. Colgan, as State Controller, against the County of Sonoma.

The motion for a new trial was submitted on briefs 6, 6 and 3 days in the action of Charles Brown vs. Louis Volmer.

The motion to tax costs in the action of Frederick Quien vs. Giovanni Bocca was denied.

The action of J. H. Brush vs. J. H. Smith, as sheriff, was continued to April 22d.

The will of Johann Schieck was admitted to probate and David Schieck was appointed executor, without bonds.

The final account of the estate of Wm. Ayers was settled. The distribution of the property was continued to April 22d.

In Judge Burnett's department the motion for a new trial in the action of E. E. Morrow against the Santa Rosa Lighting Company was taken under advisement.

The trial of the action of A. B. Hill against Fred. Englehart was set for April 26th.

The divorce action of Seely vs. Seely was submitted to the court.

In the action for divorce of H. E. Nosler vs. Martha Nosler, default was entered and the matter was referred to the Court Commissioner.

The action for damages brought by Thomas F. Duncan against M. Lafranchi was set for May 21st.

The demurrer was withdrawn and ten days allowed to answer in the action of the Fisherman's Bay Commercial Company against Henry McMillen.

Matters in the estate of Lydia C. Wickersham were continued to April 22d.

The action of the Healdsburg Lighting Company against the City of Healdsburg was continued to April 22d.

The defendant was arraigned in the case of the People vs. Bagley, charged with selling liquor to an Indian, and Bagley will enter his plea on April 22d.

The account of the Washington Hall Association was settled and allowed.

The trial of the contest in the estate of Mary A. Perry was set for June 25th.

The motion to strike out was sustained in part and overruled in part and the demurrer was submitted in the action of Duncan vs. Byington.

The confirmation of a sale of real estate in the estate of I. G. Wickersham was continued to April 22d.

Blood.

We live by our blood, and on it. We thrive or starve, as our blood is rich or poor. There is nothing else to live on or by.

When strength is full and spirits high, we are being refreshed, bone muscle and brain, in body and mind, with continual flow of rich blood. This is health.

When weak, in low spirits, no cheer, no spring, when rest is not rest and sleep is not sleep, we are starved; our blood is poor; there is little nutriment in it.

Back of the blood, is food, to keep the blood rich. When it fails, take Scott's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil. It sets the whole body going again—man woman and child.

If you have not tried it, send for free sample, its agreeable taste will surprise you. SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, 429-435 Pearl Street, New York. 50c. and \$1.00; all druggists.

OVERWORK

You know all about it. The rush, the worry, the exhaustion. You go about with a great weight resting upon you. You can't throw off this feeling. You are a slave to your work. Sleep fails, and you are on the verge of nervous exhaustion.

What is to be done? Take Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

For fifty years it has been lifting up the discouraged, giving rest to the overworked, and bringing refreshing sleep to the depressed.

No other Sarsaparilla approaches it in age and in cures. "Ayer's" is "the leader of them all." It was old before other sarsaparillas were born.

Ayer's Pills aid the action of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. They cure biliousness. 25 cts. a box.

"I have used Ayer's medicines for more than 40 years and have said from the very start that you made the best medicines in the world. I am sure your Sarsaparilla saved my life when I first took it 40 years ago. I am now past 70 and am never without your medicines."

FRANK THOMAS, P. M., Jan. 24, 1899. Enos, Kansas.

Write the Doctor. If you have any complaint whatever and desire the best medical advice you can possibly receive, write the doctor freely. You will receive a prompt reply, without cost.

DR. J. C. AYER, Lowell, Mass.

The Garibaldi House.

In writing up the various hotels and summer resorts of Sonoma and vicinity, in a recent issue, we inadvertently omitted to mention the Garibaldi House, one of the oldest public resorts of Sonoma. This hotel was opened in 1874 by L. Modini, its present proprietor. Since then Mr. Modini has made many improvements to his hotel which is lighted with electric lights and fitted up with an eye to the comfort of his guests. This season he is better fixed than ever for entertaining summer visitors.

The Excitement Not Over.

The rush at the drug store still continues and daily scores of people call for a bottle of Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs for the cure of Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Bronchitis and Consumption. Kemp's Balsam, the standard family remedy, is sold on a guarantee and never fails to give entire satisfaction. Price 25c. and 50c.

Hunting notices printed at this office. The very latest form. *

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By having your Dental Work done First-Class, Up-to-Date and Without Pain.

Drs. Phillips & Sanford, The Leading Dentists of Petaluma, Cal.

TRADE

AT Hitchcock's Low Price Drug Store

PETALUMA.

Castoria 25c
Mrs. Pinkham's Compound 75c
Ayer's Hair Vigor 75c
Pierce's Discovery 75c
Syrup of Figs 35c
Swamp Root 75c
Dr. Barker's Sarsaparilla 75c

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of LUZIA STEIGER, deceased. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the undersigned, administrator of the estate of Luzia Steiger, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said administrator at the law office of F. M. Meyer, corner Main street and Western avenue, Petaluma, Cal., the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate in the County of Sonoma, State of California.

EDWARD STEIGER, Administrator of the Estate of Luzia Steiger, deceased.
Filed April 16, 1901.
F. A. MEYER, Attorney for Estate.

WANTED—TRUSTWORTHY MEN and women to travel and advertise for old established house of solid financial standing. Salary \$780 a year and expenses, all payable in cash. No canvassing required. Give references and enclose self-addressed stamped envelope. Address Manager, 355 Canton Bldg., Chicago.

OFFICIAL. Notice to Bidders for Sprinkling Streets.

Notice is hereby given by the Board of Trustees of the City of Sonoma that sealed bids will be received by said Board up to 8 o'clock p. m.

Wednesday, May 1st, 1901.

For sprinkling such of the streets in Sonoma City and such portions thereof as may be indicated to the contractor by the Street Committee, during the dry summer months of the current year. The said streets and such portions thereof as may be indicated as aforesaid to be sprinkled daily at least once and oftener if required. The contractor to furnish daily at least 22 loads of water of not less than 500 gallons to the load. The contractor to furnish his own water, sprinkling wagon, horses, harness and lubricants. All bids to be per day. Mark on the envelopes "for sprinkling streets."

By order of the Board of Trustees, JOE B. SMALL, City Clerk.

City Printing.

The Board of Trustees of Sonoma City, State of California, will receive sealed bids for doing the city printing and advertising for one year from May 4, 1901, thence ensuing, up to the hour of 8 o'clock, p. m., on May 1st, 1901, for the following work:

Legal notices and advertisements, per square of 24 ems, nonpareil or minion. Instructions to voters, per 25. Election tickets, in three books, bound, perforated, stubbed and numbered, per 300. Sample election ballots, per 150. Nomination of candidates, per 150. Poll Tax receipts, bound, perforated and stubbed, per 100. City Warrants, bound, perforated and stubbed, per 100. Tax Collector's receipts, bound, perforated and stubbed, per 100. Blank forms for bills, printed on both sides, per 100. License blanks, bound, perforated and stubbed, per 100. Assessment blanks, printed on both sides, per 100. Letter heads, plain, per 100. Letter heads, printed, per 100. Envelopes, plain, per 100. Envelopes, printed, per 100. Bids are to be made on each item separately, and the lowest bidder on each item to be given the contract for that particular item. All job work to be done in the best manner possible and on good paper. Newspaper to be wholly printed and published in Sonoma City. A work to be done to the satisfaction of the Board of Trustees. The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids. By order of the Board of Trustees, JOE B. SMALL, City Clerk.

LEGAL. Notice to Creditors.

Estate of JACOB G. MAYER, deceased. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY the undersigned, Executor of the last will and testament of Jacob G. Mayer, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against, the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said executor at the law office of Robert A. Poppe, on the east side of the Plaza, in Sonoma City, in the County of Sonoma, State of California, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate in the County of Sonoma, State of California.

JACOB F. MAYER, Executor of the last will and testament of Jacob G. Mayer, deceased.

Dated at Sonoma, Cal., March 16th, 1901. ROBERT A. POPPE, Attorney for Executor.

Notice of Time and Place for Proving Will.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SONOMA, STATE OF CALIFORNIA. Is the Matter of the Estate of JOHANN GOTTFRIED SCHIECK, deceased. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT Monday, the 15th day of April, A. D. 1901, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, and the court room of said Superior Court, in Department One thereof, in the City of Santa Rosa, County of Sonoma, State of California, is hereby fixed and appointed as the time and place for proving the will of said Johann Gottfried Schieck, deceased, and for the hearing by the Court of the application of David Schieck for the issuance to him of letters testamentary thereon.

Dated March 12th, A. D. 1901. SOMERS B. FULTON, Clerk. By M. G. HALL, Deputy Clerk. ROBERT A. POPPE, Esq., Attorney for Petitioner.

Notice for Publication.

Department of the Interior, Land Office at San Francisco, Calif., March 14, 1901. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the following named settler has filed notice of her intention to make final proof in support of her claim, and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver, at San Francisco, Calif., on Monday, April 29, 1901, viz: KATE AYERS, WIDOW OF WILLIAM H. AYERS, deceased, H. E. No. 15340, for the S. 1/2 of N. W. 1/4, E. 1/4, of S. W. 1/4, S. W. 1/4, of S. E. 1/4, T. 6 N., R. 5 W., M. D. M. She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Thomas Willitt, Otto Gericke, Charles Bain and Gus Anderson, all of Sonoma City, Calif.

A. B. HUNT, Register.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the gate leading into my premises at Agua Caliente will be placed under lock and key on the 1st day of May of this notice. Parties desiring to use said gate and the road through my property must make application to me after the same is closed.

J. LOUNIBOS. Agua Caliente, March 9, 1901.

WANTED—ACTIVE MAN OF GOOD character to deliver and collect in California for old established manufacturing wholesale house. \$800 a year, sure pay. Honesty more than experience required. Our reference, any bank in any city. Enclose self-addressed stamped envelope. Manufacturers, Third Floor, 331 Dearborn Street, Chicago.

Schellville Siftings.

Miss J. Kiser was an Embarras visitor in the metropolis last Saturday.

Mrs. Ellen Cassebohm's many friends will be glad to learn that she is rapidly recovering from the effects of a dangerous surgical operation performed over two weeks ago.

Mrs. Willie Cook gave a birthday dinner at her home near this place Sunday. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Ohm, John McNeil, Adolph Robin, Self Dominiconi, Gus Bacco, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lord, Ed. Burris, Miss Lottie Tollman, Mont Akers.

CASTORIA For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

MISCELLANEOUS.

Keeping the New Year Pledges.

If along lines of economy, makes it necessary that the Grocery stock you select be one that gives you help in that direction—that best caters to your interests. In the year's expenses, the home needs make the most important item, and one should see to it that every Price and Quality is right.

January Prices

Are the interesting kind here, but that's the case every month in the year. It's giving our customers the best-known Goods, and yet at Reasonable Prices, that makes this the preferred store—that keeps the trade coming.

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GEO. L. BULOTTI, PLUMBER And Dealer in Sheet Iron, Pumps, Windmills and Plumbing Goods.

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Best Brands Wines, Liquors and Cigars.

For a cool glass of Steam or Lager Beer give me a call.

Everybody who wants

WOOD

Should apply to

A. PINELLI, Victoria Saloon, Sonoma.

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Hotels.

Bellevue Hotel...

EL VERANO, CAL. HOT MINERAL BATHS NEAR BY. Terms, \$5.00 per week and upwards.

PETER GOULHARDOU, Lessee.

CITY HOTEL

West Side of Plaza, Sonoma. Board per Week, \$5 and \$6. Regular Meals, 25c. Meals to Order, 50c.

First-Class BAR attached to the Hotel. L. QUARTAROLI, S. CIUCCI, S. MARTINONI.

CIUCCI & MARTINONI PROPRIETORS OF THE

Toscana Hotel.

North Side of Plaza, Sonoma. Meals, 25c. Lodgings, 25c. Fine Wines, Liquors and Cigars, California Wines at Wholesale and Retail.

A First-Class House in Every Respect.

Sonoma House.

Sonoma, Cal. This well-known House has just been re-opened and will be conducted in a First-Class Style.

THE BAR will be supplied with the very best of Wines, Liquors and Cigars. MRS. E. GLYNN.

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Vineburg Notes.

Al. Griffith visited Petaluma last Saturday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Muser spent several days on their farm last week.

Henry Kennitzer, the pioneer architect of San Francisco, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Muser several days this week. Mr. Kennitzer was the architect of the Masonic Temple, erected in San Francisco over forty years ago, and many other notable buildings in the metropolis.

Episcopal Church at Schellville.

Service of the Episcopal Church will be held at the San Luis School House, Sunday, April 14th, at 11 A. M. by the Rev. Robt. Macfarlane of St. Peter's Church, Carson City, Nevada. Everybody welcome.

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SONOMA, APRIL 20, 1901.

CITY OFFICIAL PAPER.

Local Brevities

The Daily Call and Index-Tribune \$7 per year.

Daily Examiner and Index-Tribune, \$8.80 per year.

The addition to the Toscano Hotel is nearing completion.

Frank McGill, after an illness of two weeks, is now convalescent.

A little rain just now would help the hay crop along in this valley.

Shooting notices for sale at this office. Ones that will keep hunters off your place.

F. Malini is up from San Francisco and will spend a couple of weeks on his farm near this place.

For your spring hat try Mrs. English Warren, Fashionable Milliner, 552 Main street, Petaluma.

W. H. Warriner of El Verano has sold his ten-acre farm to a gentleman recently from Australia.

Mrs. Marie Seipp Chase of San Francisco is in town and is the guest of her brothers on the Seipp farm.

Sun Shades, just the thing for summer. Have one put on your wagon by Wilson, Main street, Petaluma.

The opening of the Postoffice at 6:30 A. M. instead of at 9 o'clock at formerly is a great accommodation to the patrons of the office.

There has been very little sickness in town and valley the past few months and the doctors are having a breathing spell.

Since assuming his duties as Justice of the Peace of this Township on April 1st Judge Small has had but one case on the docket.

Fifteen hundred grape boxes arrived in this place Monday on the California Northwestern Railway. They were consigned to V. Bulotti.

Have a Sun Umbrella put on your wagon. Call at Wilson's, Main street, Petaluma, and see how they work. Finest thing in summer.

Several fine baskets of trout were caught in Sonoma creek last Saturday and Sunday. For the most part the small streams have been pretty well fished out.

Help Wanted—Salesmen to sell \$20 typewriter. Will do equally as good work as any \$100 machine. Good pay to hustlers. 710 New York Life Bldg., Chicago.

Miss Lola Haraszthy's hop, which takes place this evening at Union Hall, will bring together a large gathering of young folks from all over the valley. It promises to be a sociable affair.

Do you want a brand new Wheeler & Wilson \$75 Sewing Machine that has never been used. If so apply at this office. This machine will be warranted and sold cheap on the installment plan.

Guests have already commenced to arrive at the several summer resorts in this valley. It is expected that the influx of visitors to the valley this season will out number that of any previous season two to one.

Mrs. Pauline McMullen and her sister Miss Theo Bates will open Ice Cream parlors the 1st of May in the Adler building, opposite the Postoffice, where they will promptly serve delicious Ice Cream, Ices, Sandwiches and Coffee.

Mr. Peltier of the Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris Bank of San Francisco caught a nice mess of trout in Sonoma creek about Glen Ellen last Sunday. One of the speckled beauties measured fourteen inches in length.

For Sale—Almost new house and two-acre lot, barn, etc., located in Embarcadero, for sale for \$1100. This is a fine piece of property for the headquarters of a sporting club or a public resort. For further particulars inquire of H. H. Granice, Sonoma.

Sonoma Valley just now is at its best. Hill and vale are carpeted in green, and wild flowers of every hue, including the California poppy, are in bloom. Added to this are sunny skies, balmy breezes and roads that would make glad the heart of the visiting "biker."

The opening ball of the Union Hotel last Saturday night brought together a large number of the party-going people in this part of the valley. Many of the ladies were in evening dress and it was quite a swell affair. Messrs. Wilde & Mullen, the genial hosts of the Union, did all in their power to make the affair a pleasant one for all who were present. The music was up-to-date, the supper excellent and taking it all around it was one of the most successful parties that has taken place in this town for many a day.

STOPS THE COUGH AND WORKS OFF THE GOLD.

Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets cure cold in one day. No Cure, no Pay. Price 25 cents.

OIL AND COAL.

Reported to Have Been Discovered on the Willett Ranch.

For some time it has been known in this place that coal existed on the Willett and Lentz ranches in the mountains four miles northeast of Sonoma.

Now comes the report that oil has been discovered oozing out of the ground on the Willett ranch, which experts pronounce the "real thing."

Parties from San Francisco visited the scene of the reported discoveries last week and so well satisfied were they that oil existed on both ranches that a proposition was made to Mrs. Lentz to bore a well on her ranch without any expense to her, but the offer was rejected. It was sold or nothing.

The Willett ranch, however, was bonded for \$10,000 and boring operations will be commenced as soon as the necessary machinery can be got upon the ground. The coal find will also be prosecuted.

Rain and Beet Culture.

Rain is needed and it is needed badly on the beet farms at Reclamation and McGill's. A large area of land has been transplanted to sugar beets on the Rose and Jones ranches and should the rain hold off much longer it is feared that the crop will be a failure. Once the beets get a good start on the Sonoma marsh lands they will require very little moisture and will take care of themselves with the usual cultivation. So far, however, the season has been very unfavorable since transplanting commenced as very little rain has fallen. Favorable showers this month, however, may change the condition of things in the beet fields and enable the promoters of beet culture in this valley to reap the reward their enterprise deserves.

Father Yorke's Lecture.

All arrangements are now perfected for Father Yorke's lecture to be given Tuesday evening, April 30th, at Union Hall, for the benefit of St. Francis' Church. Father Yorke's reputation as a speaker is well-known to the people of Sonoma Valley and will no doubt draw a crowded house. The subject of his lecture, "The Elements of Patriotism," is one which interests all loyal citizens and being one of his favorite topics will be handled by the eloquent speaker in such a way that an intellectual treat will be assured to those who have the good fortune to attend. In addition to the lecture an excellent musical program will be rendered by some of our best local talent and the evening's entertainment will conclude with a social hop at which refreshments will be served. Mr. Benj. Weed, the efficient, able and popular principal of our local High School, has kindly consented to act as chairman of the entertainment and this in itself will be sufficient to guarantee a large crowd. General admission will be 50 cents. Reserved seats on sale at Mr. Dahring's store will be 75 cents, and as a great rush is expected tickets should be secured in time.

New Deputies.

County Clerk Somers B. Fulton, in conformity with the new law allowing him another deputy, has appointed Miss Caroline Hood to the position.

Superintendent of Public Schools Minnie Coulter, who was also given a deputy under the new law, has selected Miss Pearl Cockrill as her assistant.

More Wine for Chicago and New York.

Dresel & Co. continue to make shipments of wine to Eastern cities. This week one carload was forwarded to Louisville, Ky., and another to New York. Another carload will be shipped to the latter city to day.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

P. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions, and financially able to carry out any obligations made by their firm. West & Traux, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

Walding, Kimball & Marvin, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75c per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Hall's family Pills are the best.

CASTORIA. The Kind You Have Always Bought.

Bears the Signature of J. C. Watson.

GRAPES AND THE FROST.

Nipped Vineyards Putting Forth New Shoots.

The viticulturist who pruned long last fall is a lucky man, as his vineyard suffered very little from the killing frosts of last week and the week previous, and while his crop of grapes may not be a full crop, he will make money all the same, as grapes will be grapes next vintage.

For the most part, however, the Sonoma Valley vineyardist pruned his vines short and in consequence Jack Frost nipped most of the tender buds and shoots in his vineyard. The warm weather of the past ten days, however, has developed new buds in the nipped and blasted vineyards and in another week all evidence of last week's blighting frost will have disappeared. It now looks as though there will be more than half a crop of wine grapes produced in many of the vineyards that were given up as lost last week.

Fruit, particularly apricots, pears, peaches and plums, will fare badly and in some cases will prove almost a total failure.

AARON ASTILL'S MISHAP.

Has His Left Leg Broken on the Transport Warren.

Aaron Astill, lessee of the Sonoma Electric Light Company's plant in this place up to within a few months ago, had his left leg broken Thursday on the transport Warren, which is being repaired at the dry dock, San Francisco.

With two hundred other men he was engaged in working on the big ship, when she suddenly careened and commenced to roll. Huge pieces of iron, cranks and boiler heads were hurled in all directions, threatening the lives of every man on board, many of whom jumped overboard to save themselves from being pounded to death by the heavy pieces of machinery which were sent flying in every direction in her hold.

All escaped injury except Astill and a boiler maker named Hall. The former, who is an electrician, was at work in the engine room when the transport listed. He was thrown violently against a side bulkhead of the engine room and a big steel cylinder that was lying near by rolled against him and crushed his leg as though it was a pipestem. Mr. Astill is now in St. Luke's Hospital, where he will be confined for some time. Hall had his thigh crushed but fortunately both men are not fatally injured.

Mr. Astill has many friends in Sonoma who sympathize with him in his misfortune.

Granddaughter of the Late Gen. Vallejo to be Married.

Miss Francesca Vallejo of San Francisco is engaged to be married to Dr. C. D. McGettigan of the metropolis. The young lady is a granddaughter of the late General M. G. Vallejo, whose name is one of the most familiar in the early history of the State, and a niece of Mrs. Lulu de Emparan and Mrs. A. F. Haraszthy. Though the doctor and his handsome fiancée have known each other since childhood and have always been much in each other's company, their engagement has been a surprise to their friends. The couple were children together in Vallejo, their respective families being close friends, and it seems that the early attachment formed never weakened, but grew into love. Miss Vallejo has been given places of honor at many public fetes and was queen of the splendid Monterey festival. She is of sweet disposition, vivacious and a fine conversationalist. Miss Vallejo was educated at College San Rafael and is one of the most accomplished musicians that ever graduated from that institution. She is a daughter of Dr. Platon Vallejo of Vallejo.

There Are 2400

Disorders incident to the human frame, of which a majority are caused or promoted by impure blood.

The remedy is simple.

Take Hood's Sarsaparilla.

That this medicine radically and effectively purifies the blood is known to every druggist, known to hundreds of thousands of people who themselves or by their friends have experienced its curative powers.

The worst cases of scrofula, the most agonizing sufferings from salt rheum and other virulent blood diseases, are conquered by it, while those cured of boils, pimples, dyspeptic and bilious symptoms and that tired feeling are numbered by millions.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Will do you good. Begin to take it today.

GEO. SPANNING DEAD.

A Victim of Appendicitis—Expired While Undergoing an Operation.

Geo. Spanning, for a number of years a resident of this place, died in San Francisco on Friday of last week. The news of the young man's death was a great shock to his many friends here, as he was the perfect picture of health and physical strength. George Spanning came from Germany to the United States when a mere lad. He arrived in New York a stranger in a strange land and at once went to work to carve out a career. He engaged in various occupations in that city and thinking to better his condition financially he came to California and located in this place when he was about twenty years of age. About five years ago he sailed for the South Sea Islands with a party of adventurous spirits, but returned to San Francisco a year afterward and engaged in the cigar business. He built up a good trade and about eighteen months ago married Miss Laurence Casmer of that city. He had recently disposed of his cigar business and at the time of his death was conducting a prosperous grocery business at the Mission.

The deceased was a diamond in the rough. He was good and true to his friends, generous and open-hearted to all and a man who knew not the word fear.

The cause of George Spanning's death was appendicitis, from which he had been a sufferer for several weeks. The doctors advised an operation in the hopes of saving his life. He was taken to one of the hospitals of San Francisco and on Friday of last week was operated upon. The veriform appendix was removed, but poor Spanning failed to survive the shock and expired on the operating table.

He was a native of Germany and aged 31 years. The funeral took place Sunday in San Francisco, the remains being followed to their last resting place by his devoted widow and a large number of friends.

The Case Postponed.

The case of Constable Chas. Ohm, who was arrested last Saturday on complaint of L. H. Green for tearing down a disputed fence at Embarcadero, was postponed in Judge Small's court last Thursday for two weeks. The officer, who is charged with malicious mischief in removing the offending fence, has demanded a jury trial.

Mrs. Ben Pohley of Tiburon is the guest of Mrs. Mollie Pohley of this place.

A Testimonial from Old England.

"I consider Chamberlain's Cough Remedy the best in the world for bronchitis," says Mr. William Savory, of Warrington, England. "It has saved my wife's life, she having been a martyr to bronchitis for over six years, being most of the time confined to her bed. She is now quite well." Sold by F. Duhring.

To Cure a Cold in One Day.

Take Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box.

HELLER PLACE SOLD.

Wealthy Klondykers to Take Possession July 1st.

The Heller ranch of 145 acres, located one mile east of town, has been sold to Chas. Anderson and Chas. Anderson, wealthy mining men of Dawson City and Nome. The price paid was \$10,500. The new owners will take possession of their purchase July 1st.

The Heller place has been highly improved the past ten years under the management of Philip Bill and among other things boasts of a full-bearing resistant vineyard of eighty acres.

The Messrs. Anderson, who are not related to one another, have made all kinds of money in the gold fields of Alaska. They return to Dawson City and Nome next month to look after their mining interests in those places, but eventually will make their home in this valley.

Personal Mention.

Paul Robin was up from the city Sunday.

Constable Chas. Ohm visited the county seat Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. P. Hill of Eldridge were in town Tuesday.

John Valente was a San Francisco visitor in this place Sunday.

Garrett and Will Cozine were over from Napa Sunday.

Ned Carr is here from Tiburon and is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. Laux.

Mrs. Ed. Gise and little daughter Dorothy of Benicia are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bates.

Sonoma Valley's school teachers have been in attendance at the institute in Santa Rosa the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. O. Campbell, accompanied by their daughter Miss Emma, returned from the Bay City Saturday last.

Jep Valente is here from San Francisco and will spend several weeks visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. D. Valente of this place.

Ed. C. Soules, city editor of the Argus, H. C. Wiley and the Misses Adams and Boyesen of Petaluma visited Sonoma last Sunday.

The Social Hop to be given by Miss Lola Haraszthy this evening promises to be well attended. Lovely evening and lovely music. Don't fail to come and enjoy it.

Samuel J. Crawford of Agua Caliente returned from San Francisco last Sunday, wither he had been called to attend the funeral of a relative which took place on 11th inst.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Miller have returned to their home at the Palace Hotel, San Francisco, after a seven week's visit in the Sandwich Islands. They spent several days at their country home near this place the fore part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gies have rented one of the Schocken cottages on Spain street. Their thirteen year-old daughter, who is attending school in San Francisco, will remain in that city until she finishes her school year, when she will join her parents here. Mr. Gies is our affable tonsorial artist and jeweler.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Clark and family of Los Angeles county have been in town all the week, the guests of their Sonoma relatives.

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Other Matters of Interest to the General Reader.

Mrs. Fred. Paulson visited Napa last Wednesday.

Bert Jones of Oakland spent last Saturday and Sunday in this place.

N. R. Hansen of Glen Ellen spent Monday and Tuesday in Santa Rosa.

Mrs. Lindsey and children of Santa Rosa are here visiting at the Hocker home.

Tom Ryan was over from Benicia Sunday, the guest of his brother Deputy Sheriff Joe Ryan.

Miss Jewel Carson of Glen Ellen was the guest of her cousin Miss Maggie Henley of Petaluma last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Shoults of Napa were the guests several days this week of their son R. G. Shoults.

Miss Marie and Elane Clewe were visiting this week with their little friend Miss Elizabeth Davis of Eldridge.

Mrs. Pauline McMullen and Miss Theo Bates will open up an ice cream parlor in the Adler building next month.

Wm. Mullen, who is employed in the Union Iron Works, San Francisco, spent last Sunday with El Verano relatives.

Benj. Weed and wife have been enjoying themselves in the metropolis the past week as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bundschu.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Clark and family of Los Angeles county have been in town all the week, the guests of their Sonoma relatives.

Supervisor Blair Hart was in town Monday looking after the road interests in this part of the valley.

Miss Lulu Johnson has returned to her home near Buena Vista after a visit of several days in the metropolis.

Dr. Richards of the metropolis visited his friend, mine host Cooper of the California Hot Springs, one day this week.

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2:45 PM	3:37 PM	Intermediates	7:15 PM
10:30 AM	10:25 AM	Elgin Kilen	6:40 AM
7:20 PM	7:15 PM	Intermediates	3:37 PM
6:18 AM	6:40 AM	Norato Petaluma	10:25 AM
2:45 PM	3:37 PM	Santa Rosa Intermediates	7:15 PM
6:18 AM	6:40 AM	Gloversdale Healdsburg	10:25 AM
2:45 PM		Lytton and Intermediates	7:15 PM
6:18 AM	6:40 AM	Clearlake and Intermediates	7:15 PM
2:45 PM	3:37 PM	Substoptop	10:25 AM
6:18 AM		Intermediates	7:15 PM
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